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1. "On lacunary incomplete polynomials", Math. Zeit. 177 (1981), 297-314, jointly with E. B. Saff.
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3. "On the LU factorization of M-matrices", Numer. Math. 38 (1981), 179-192, jointly with D.-Y. Cai.
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5. "Theorems of Stein-Rosenberg type. III. The singular case", Linear Algebra and Appl. 42 (1982), 183-198, jointly with J. J. Buoni and M. Neumann.
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8. "Breast cancer detection utilizing biostereometric analysis", Cancer Detection and Prevention 4 (1981), 589-594, jointly with C. W. Loughry, D. B. Sheffer, R. H. Hamor, R. E. Herron, R. A. Liebelt, and F. Proietti-Orlandi.
9. "A note on the sharpness of J. L. Walsh's Theorem and its extensions for interpolation in the roots of unity", Acta Math. Acad. Sci. Hung. (to appear), jointly with E. B. Saff.

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10. "On the overconvergence of complex interpolating polynomials",
J. Approximation Theory (to appear), jointly with J. Szabados.

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